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JOHN B. PACKER, Esq. This gentleman is now the Republican candidate for Congress in this district, as he has been nominated by Northumberland, Dauphin and Snyder counties with a unanimous and spirit seldom equalled which speaks well for the character of our candidate.

SNYDER COUNTY. The primary election in Snyder county, on Saturday last, excited unusual interest in this Congressional district, as upon the result in that county depended, in all probability, the question who was to represent this district in Congress.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY. The Republicans of this county acknowledge themselves under many obligations to their friends in Snyder county, in thus recognizing the just claims of this county to the Representative. They have not only done their duty, but the very large, and we might say almost unanimous vote given to Mr. Packer, is, under the circumstances, in the highest degree, complimentary to the character and ability of the Republican nominee of the Fourteenth District.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE VOTE FOR CONGRESS IN SNYDER COUNTY, ON SATURDAY LAST: J. B. PACKER, G. F. MILLER.

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name and Vote Count. Includes Middleburg (33), Franklin (100), Centre (92), Beaver (189), West Beaver (119), Middle Creek (18), Perry (128), Penns. (12), West Perry (27), Monroe (84), Jackson (203), Washington (147), Chapman (290), Selinsgrove (234), Packer's majority (1491).

GERMAN PAPERS.—About a year since, the only German paper published in this county, "Der Deutsche Demokrat," was discontinued. Within a few weeks, however, the Democrat has been revived by Messrs. Eicholtz & Day, of the Northumberland County Democrat.

THE RESULT.—As the result of the late election, the Ku Klux Klan are illuminating all the hills of Kentucky in honor of the late victory at the ballot box in that State, and are warning Union men to leave its borders on penalty of death if delaying.

SINCE Gen. Auditor has occupied the position of Auditor General, the State debt has been reduced more than five millions of dollars. Not even the bitterest partisan has been found to deny his impartial and most efficient performance of his official duties.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION OF THE THIRD DISTRICT OF OHIO, has nominated Clement L. Vallandigham for Congress, on the third ballot.

THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER is very low this season, and being wide and shallow, has the appearance of a vast grass or meadow plain, running through it when the river is at its ordinary height these little grassy islands disappear.

WATERING REPUBLICAN! Reflect for a moment! This is the first Presidential election since the war! And yet the rebel asks to be rewarded for attempting to destroy the Union and putting its defenders to an expense of oceans of blood and three billions of treasure, by being intrusted, on the very first occasion, with its management and control!

A HOSTILE LAND.—What would the South become if Seymour and Blair should be elected? Albert Pike, late general in the rebel army, and now editor of a Seymour organ at Memphis, tells us:

"The North is a foreign and hostile realm. Stand at the altar of your country. Swear eternal hatred to its oppressors. Swear that the day shall come when the Susquehanna and the Ohio shall be like rivers of fire, as they are now rivers of blood, between your native land and that of the Northern Huns, which no man shall attempt to cross and use."

It shall become a foreign and hostile land, in which no Northern man shall live, says Pike! That is what those votes for who voted to elect Seymour and Blair.

LOTTERIES AND GIFT CONCERTS.—Congress, at its recent session, passed an act relating to postoffices, one of the sections of which is as follows:

Section 13. And be it further enacted, That it shall not be lawful to deposit in a postoffice, to be sent by mail, any letters or circulars concerning lotteries, so-called gift concerts, or other similar enterprises, or prizes of any kind on any pretext whatever, and that postmasters receiving what they have reason to believe to be such letters or circulars shall send them to the dead-letter office.

THE LOUISVILLE JOURNAL puts the Democratic view of the real issue in this clear and unmistakable light. Speaking of the Kentucky and Southern Democracy generally, it says:

"Greenbacks are but an incident. Negro suffrage is but an incident. The gist of the matter is, shall five men, embracing the Reconstruction Committee, rule us with a rod of iron, or shall the people rule? The radicals seek to obscure this real question. They seek to keep it out of sight. But it is embraced in the simple proposition: If Grant gets a majority of the electoral votes of the Northern States, where there is likely to be a fair election, why, well and good; but if he fails to get a majority of the Northern electoral votes, and Congress attempts to make up a deficit by a machine of its own creation in the South, then we fight. The sooner the people toe that line the better."

THE TRAITOR IDOLIZED.—Men who fought four long years to put down the rebellion, headed by the traitor Davis, how do you like to hear him pronounced the "representative man" of the country? Read the following from the Vicksburg Times:

"We venture to predict that Mr. Davis will be the recipient of much respectful attention and consideration from all classes of people in Europe, and assuredly no American has ever placed foot upon European soil, or the honor of his country, with the homage and admiration of its people. We of the South proudly present Jefferson Davis as our REPRESENTATIVE MAN, and in all the attributes of intellect, eloquence, statesmanship, courage, dignity, and Christian character, we claim that he is at the least, the peer of the noblest sages in all the world. May health, happiness, and all good fortune attend him in his travels, and when he determines to return to his own land again, he will find millions of hearts to welcome him as warmly as when they proudly hailed him as their own chosen leader and ruler. Neither absence, distance, nor the wear of his Southern feet for their own Heroic Chief, and in all his wanderings, wherever destiny may lead, the affection of a whole people will follow and abide with him.

AN UNPROVOKED AND ATROCIOUS OUTRAGE.—On Saturday evening last six men went to the house of Mr. John Zerbe, a peaceable and respected citizen, residing at Raven Run, near Girardville, this County. They inquired of Mrs. Zerbe if her husband was at home. She, unsuspecting of any intended violence, informed them that he was, and that he had just stepped out of the house. They immediately went to the door where Mr. Zerbe stood, and inquired of him whether he lived there and whether he built the house. Mr. Zerbe answered both interrogatories in the affirmative. At the time five of the men had surrounded him, when the sixth stepped into the circle and struck Mr. Zerbe a violent blow on his head which fell him to the ground. The ruffians then fell upon him with their concealed weapons, showering violent blows upon his person until they thought life was extinct. They then retired a few paces, when one of them returned, and thinking that he was not yet dead struck him again on his head with a weapon. The ruffians then fled to the woods, firing several shots as they left. Mrs. Zerbe, while endeavoring to shield her husband from his brutal assailants, received a blow on her head, causing a severe but not dangerous scalp wound. Dr. P. H. Shultz, of Girardville, attended Mr. Zerbe shortly after the assault, and found on examination that three of his ribs were fractured, and that his jaw-bone and one of the metacarpal bones of his left hand, were broken. He had also other injuries of less importance. For several days Mr. Zerbe was in a precarious condition, but under the care of his skillful physician, strong hopes of his ultimate recovery are entertained.

A TEXT EXPANDED.—The following is what the Democratic party, in their platform, first of all demand: "The immediate restoration of all the States, to their rights in the Union under the Constitution, and of civil government to the American people."

It is not meant by each of its general terms, "What, in the Democratic view, is 'reconstruction'?" What are the "rights of the States?" What do they understand by "civil government?"

For, while the Democratic party in New York were making this platform and demanding "immediate restoration," the Democratic party in Congress was working unceasingly to defeat the bill for restoring the rebel States. It is clear, therefore, that they do not mean by "restoration," the same thing that the people mean by it.

The difficulty seems to be satisfactorily met by the comments of the Democratic leaders. The kind of restoration they demand is thus described by Frank P. Blair, their candidate for Vice-President, in the letter which he wrote for the Convention:

"We must have a President who will execute the will of the people by trampling into dust the usurpations of Congress, known as the reconstruction acts."

But how to get a President who will do this? The answer is given in a previous question. This is answered by Mr. Wade Hampton, who declared at the ratification meeting in this city, on Thursday last, that his party must seize the polls in the South, and have the white vote cast alone. He declared:

"I want you all to register an oath that when they do vote their vote shall be counted, and if there is a majority of white votes, that you will place Seymour and Blair in the White House in spite of all the bayonets that shall be brought against them."

Of course he means that the mob thus to be raised shall decide who has "a majority of white votes?" But this language was evidently carefully adapted to the latitude and to the somewhat sensitive ears of Governor Seymour's "friends." Mob law has its charms for them; but they do not like secession. But when the delegates get to the Convention, they tell the people more plainly what they mean.

Thus, Ex-Governor Governor Vance, of North Carolina, there said "he could talk more familiarly of the wrongs of the South here than at the North." Accordingly, he declared himself still "a rebel," and argued at length that "the Confederacy fought for would be won" by the election of Seymour and Blair.

Indeed, in the Richmond atmosphere there is a disposition to simplify the canvass to this one issue—Seymour and the rebellion against Grant and the Union. Thus, Ex-Governor Wise, in his eloquent way, reasoned that the candidate who is acceptable to the rebels, the platform was of no account at all.

"He did not care for the platform. It told a lie in its first resolution. It said secession was dead; that was not so; secession was more alive than ever. He supported the nominal candidate, not because he had declared that he would assume military power."

FROM BALTIMORE.—It is ascertained that agents of the French Government have been actively engaged in different parts of this country during the past three months in purchasing long forage for the French army. Horses suitable for cavalry and artillery purposes have also been purchased by them. A considerable amount of the long forage for France has already been shipped to New York for transshipment across the Atlantic.

FROM KANSAS.—St. Louis, Aug. 16.—A dispatch from Solomon City, Kansas: The Indians were reported within twenty-eight miles at daylight this morning. Their strength is estimated at from six hundred to one thousand, and they are reported to have declared that they were going to clean out the settlements all along these streams.

Women and children are coming in fast, and the town is nearly full of refugees. It is reported that a detachment of soldiers had an engagement with the Indians, yesterday, between Solomon and Sibley rivers, in which the soldiers were whipped.

Nearly all the settlers north of Asher creek were surrounded, and eight persons killed. The settlers for thirty miles along Solomon river, have been driven off. Governor Crook has been called on, organizing the militia. One squad has been ordered to the relief of those up the river, and others will do so as arms and ammunition arrive from Topeka. A body of Indians are now moving towards Republican Valley.

An Omaha dispatch says: A construction train on the Union Pacific railroad, was backing toward Fremont Station, ran over a cow, throwing the caboose off the track, killing five men and wounding twelve others. Two of the latter have since died.

MURDER IN INDIANAPOLIS.—INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 16.—Daniel Dietz, a barber, cut his wife's throat from ear to ear last night, killing her instantly. Dietz had a Democratic meeting was in progress at the time. When the alarm was given the speaker ceased, and all present immediately armed themselves, and went in pursuit of the murderer. It appears that Dietz afterwards fled to the house of a man named Wm. Dickens, with whom he had previously quarreled. It is generally supposed his intention was to murder Dickens, as he had the butcher knife, eighteen inches long, with which he murdered his wife, still in his hand. He has not yet been captured.

THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD.—OMAHA, August 17.—As the construction train on the Union Pacific Railroad was backing towards Fremont Station, Saturday evening, while three miles west of Fremont, the caboose struck a cow and threw the train off the track, causing a frightful destruction of life and limb among the men, who were all wounded.

Five men are reported killed and twelve wounded, two of whom are reported dead to-day. The road is clear again and trains are running as usual.

STEAM CANAL BOATS RUN ON THE ERIC CANAL.—The new French cable has \$5,000,000 invested in it. Palermo has a new priest who once was a notorious bandit. Eight hundred Americans are now residing in Dresden.

KU-KLUX KLANNS NOW CALL THEMSELVES SEYMOUR KNIGHTS. Farmers in Montana are trying to domesticate the Buffalo. Bismarck talks of visiting America before he resumes his office. The Springfield Republicans protest against the setting of trout.

There is a great drought in England. England exported over four thousand horses last year. An American is to start a stage line between Yeddo and Yokohama, Japan. Tennessee papers are filled with accounts of murders and robberies by the Ku Klux. Three gamblers of Sioux City, Iowa, were recently taken out and hung by their victims. The Democratic majority in Kentucky was increased by votes of rebel soldiers in many places. The wheat crop of Minnesota is estimated at 15,000,000 bushels, and is of the best quality. California figs are purple, and weigh a quarter of a pound. The rice crop of Georgia is not to be so good as was expected. Summer is writing up his piratical career. Iowa grain crops are said to be unusually good. Mrs. Stone is said to be engaged upon a new novel. Galveston, Texas, is infested with thieves and burglars. It is so cold in Illinois that woolen overcoats are in demand, and people are getting the ague. The State debt of Pennsylvania, which was \$37,969,847 50 in 1860, is now \$38,651,667 47, of which \$851,681 13 is redeemable at the present time.

FROM WASHINGTON.—WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The Democrats who have had in charge the conciliation of President Johnson, are not so satisfied as they do not profess themselves as particularly pleased with their success during the past week, although they assert that Mr. Johnson will now assist them. The negotiations have extended over five weeks. When they first approached Mr. Johnson he was very sore and did not hesitate to show his feelings for ten days past, however, he has been somewhat softened, and actually proposed to support the ticket.

The War Department has just set aside its contract for stationery. It is charged that the firm taking the contract failed to furnish material equal to the samples. The next bidders on the original proposal, Messrs. Blanchard & Mohun, were selected to supply the department.

The Democrats are urging the President to suspend Commissioner Rollins and put in an ex-Confederate in his place. They say that the present pattern of the States they can secure one or two of the close States for Seymour.

Mr. Rollins has arrived, and now expects to remain, unless so suspended, or unless an acceptable man is nominated. The negro riots here, had never been heard of by a hundred persons till these sensations appeared. A lot of white rowdies stoned some members of the colored Zouaves, and some of these fired on their assailants. Some of both parties have been arrested.

Information from Missouri is to the effect that Blair is going through the State, and with his friends, trying to secure a concert of action on the part of the disfranchised rebels to vote in November, at all hazards.

THE SONS OF MALTA OF Columbia and circumjacent region have been displaying themselves in force at Marietta, Pa. It has been discovered that coal exposed to the weather loses in nine months fifty per cent. of its value as fuel. Those of our readers who purchase coal for the approaching winter, should be careful to notice whether it has been properly protected from the weather.

Twenty-five hundred dollars, in gold and silver coin, was last week found concealed in the house of Mr. John Rhoads, of Elizabethtown, Lancaster county. Mr. Rhoads' wife died two weeks before, and she is supposed to have hoarded this money, saving it from the hands of her public and butter. Her husband knew nothing of it.

Senators Wade and Harlan, General Logan, ex-Secretary Stanton, ex-Senator Crosswell, of Maryland, and many other able gentlemen, are to be on the stump in Illinois in support of the Republican ticket.

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Mention was made some time since of the resident of Watertown who wheeled his wife on a wheelbarrow from that place to Saratoga. The trip was undertaken on the advice of a physician, for the benefit of the wife's health. The other day the couple passed through Utica on their way home, when the husband was seen walking beside her husband, who wheeled the empty barrow.

SEE BUNCH OF GRAPES ON STAND in another column. BRUSHY STANBARD WINE BITTERS is highly recommended by physicians for Dyspepsia, on account of its tonic properties, its purity, and its delicious flavor.

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STONE PUMPS. The subscriber, well known in this part of the country as a manufacturer of Wooden pumps, has now turned his attention to putting in the CELEBRATED STONE PUMP, which for durability, appearance, continued freshness of water, and freedom from freezing, are greatly superior to the ordinary wooden pump.

HOTEL FOR SALE. THE "Susquehanna Hotel," located on the corner of Penn and Chestnut Streets, in the Borough of Sunbury, Northumberland county, Pa., is offered at private sale, on reasonable terms. This well-known Hotel has lately been renovated, and is one of the best stands in the place, with an excellent run of custom. For further particulars apply to G. W. ARBUTHNOT, Green town, Pa., or GEO. WAENSELLER, Sunbury, Pa., July 11, 1868.

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